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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MICHAEL I. CATHERWOOD

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 28, 2004Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 28, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections set forth in the Office Action. The three-month shortened statutory time for response expires on August 28, 2004. Therefore, this Response is timely filed.

Please change the Attorney Docket No. from "18153.0034" to --068354.1447--.

Please note a Change of Mailing Address for prosecution purposes is enclosed herewith.

Amendments to the Claims, if any, are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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